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FOR EPA, ATTN: MR. JOHN BLANE

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SENV, CA
SUBJ: CONTROL OF PCBS

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED REQUEST FROM ENVIRONMENT CANADA ON BEHALF OF FISHERIES COUNCIL OF CANADA SEEKING INFORMATION ON CONTROL OF PCBS IN CANADA AND US. SPECIFICALLY, FISHERIES COUNCIL HAS POINTED OUT THAT, ACCORDING TO RECENT CANADIAN REPORT ON PCBS, GREATEST SOURCES OF CONTAMINATION, PARTICULARLY IN GREAT LAKES AND ST. LAWRENCE RIVER, ARE IN THE US. COUNCIL EXPRESSES VIEW THAT OBJECTIVE OF BOTH GOVERNMENTS SHOULD BE TOTAL BAN ON PCB MANUFACTURE AND USE; IT WOULD APPRECIATE HAVING REPORT ON STEPS BEING TAKEN TO ENCOURAGE CONTROLS IN THE US.

2. COMMENT: OBVIOUSLY GOC AND FISHERIES COUNCIL AWARE OF US TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT. HOWEVER, ANY REPORT OR OTHER SUMMARY OF US ACTIVITIES IN THIS FIELD WHICH WOULD BE RESPONSIVE TO FISHERIES COUNCIL REQUEST WOULD BE APPRECIATED. PLEASE ADVISE.

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